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LONDON, *May* 22.

YESTERDAY there was a grand meeting of all the foreign Miniſters, at the Hotel in St. James's ſtreet, on account of ſome advices received from Portugal.

Advice is ſaid to be received of a total change in the French Miniſtry, and that thoſe who are now to take the lead have not the ſame pacific ſentiments as their predeceſſors.

Yeſterday a Gentleman of diſtinction was ſent off expreſs to Madrid.

May 27. Yeſterday a full Board of Admiralty was held, at the breaking up of which twelve men of war of the line were ordered to be put into commiſſion.

The change in the French Miniſtry has alarmed Adminiſtration exceedingly. The Comptroller General of the Finances, Torgant, was a warm friend to peace and domeſtic improvement, and would not liſten to the Spaniſh faction; but the new arrangement is of a very different complexion.

SAWBRIDGE, MAYOR.

A Common Council holden at Guildhall, on Monday the 29th of April, 1776, Reſolved, that the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor be requeſted to move the following reſolution in the Houſe of Commons, "that his Majeſty's colonies in America, be continued upon the ſame "footing of giving and granting their money as his Majeſty's ſubjects "in Ireland are, by their own repreſentatives;" and the other repreſentatives of this city, and ſuch other members of this Court as are members of Parliament, are requeſted to ſupport the ſame.

On the ſecond reading of a bill in the Houſe of Commons, "to prevent the inhuman practice of plundering veſſels wrecked on the coaſt;" after two hours debate, the bill was thrown out.

Copies of letters from JAMAICA, *Feb.* 22.

"A report prevailed lately, that a great French armament was come to Hiſpaniola, conſiſting of 9 ſhips of the line, 4 frigates, and 12,000 troops; this was ſo generally believed, that the Admiral on this ſtation immediately prepared to ſend home a veſſel with the information, and purchaſed a ſloop for that purpoſe; ſince which the report has, upon very good authority, been contradicted, and is now entirely diſcredited, it appearing from the concurrent teſtimony of two or three perſons, who left Hiſpaniola a few days ago, that the whole was no more than a relief of the regiments ſtationed there, and conſiſted only of four tranſports already arrived with 1700 men, and one or two others expected with 400 more, three frigates being on the ſtation.

"The French Admiral Garnier, of this Court, diſclaims any knowledge of a ſquadron having been fitted, or now fitting out in France, with hoſtile intentions towards Great Britain."

May 28. A report prevails, that the Duke Ferdinand, of Brunſwick, is going to enter into the French ſervice: But this will admit of great doubt.

The Miniſtry have confidently aſſerted, in the Houſe of Commons, that the kingdom was never in a more flouriſhing condition, yet proviſions of all kinds were never ſo dear: The wealthy are ſinking into indigence, the middling to the meaneſt ſtate, and the poor to beggary.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

General Conway, after a ſpeech of an hour, moved for an addreſs to his Majeſty, that he would direct to be laid before the Houſe of Commons, copies of the inſtructions to Lord and General Howe, for making peace with America.

He arraigned the conduct of the Miniſtry, in very ſevere and pointed terms, and concluded his ſpeech by obſerving, "That if the Houſe continued to vote at the pleaſure of the Miniſtry, argument would have as little effect there as the troops had in America."

He was ſeconded by Col. Barre, who, in an animated ſtyle, condemned every meaſure that had hitherto been take[illegible] ſerved, that whenever a motion of this nature was to be made, he ſaw a ſet of features to which he was an entire ſtranger, except upon ſuch treaſury do. ancies.

Lord North combatted the arguments of the Colonel and General; denied the neceſſity of ſhewing the accounts and orders, and argued upon the prudence and good management of keeping that ſecret, which if known, might fruſtrate future operations.

He was anſwered with ſeverity by Lord John Cavendiſh; Mr. Burke contended for the neceſſity of the motion, rallied the weakneſs of Adminiſtration. Their meaſures he ſaid, were full of blunders, their deſigns attended with an uncommon fatality, and the execution of their orders was ſuch, as ſerved to heighten the ſpirit of the Americans, and diſgrace the glory of England.

Mr. Fox ſtrenuouſly oppoſed every meaſure of Government, canvaſſed every argument of Lord North's, with ſpirit and judgment, and ſaid, they magnified every defeat into victory, and every ſhameful retreat into prudence, good conduct, and heroiſm.

At length the queſtion was put, when the numbers were, for the motion, 85——Againſt it, 171.

BOSTON, *Auguſt* 8.

BY an expreſs from Falmouth, we are informed, that Capt. White, in a privateer, had arrived there, having 40 men on board, with the particulars of the following prizes he had taken: The brig Fanny, 130 hhds. rum, from Antigua; ſloop Betſey, 150 hhds. rum, and a brig from Antigua, for Liverpool, with 230 hhds. rum; brig Harlequin, from Nevis, for London, 273 hhds. ſugar, and 65 hhds. rum; ſhip Polly, from Antigua, 450 hhds. rum, 12 hhds. ſugar; ſhip Anna Mariah, 425 hhds. ſugar, 52 pipes wine, and ſome bales of cotton, carried into Falmouth. The Captain alſo took a 7th veſſel, which he gave the priſoners.

NEW YORK, *Auguſt* 15.

BY a Gentleman who arrived here from Providence, we have the following account: That the ſloop Montgomery, Capt. Bucklin, has ſent into that port one brig, with 150 hhds. of rum; ſhe was bound from Antigua to Ireland; likewiſe ſent in a bark, laden with ſugar, pimenta, &c. to the value of 15,000l. ſterling.

By expreſs from Ticonderoga, we are informed, that General Burgoyne had retreated from all his poſts in Canada, except St. John's, where he had left a body of men. The precipitate retreat is ſaid to be occaſioned by the arrival of a large fleet (ſuppoſed to be French) in the river St. Lawrence.——Our fleet on the lakes (conſiſting of ſloops, a ſchooner, gondolas, and boats) are in good order, and make a reſpectable appearance. The army was ſickly ſome time ago, but recover faſt, and are in good ſpirits.

Auguſt 17. Laſt night our fire rafts up the North river grappled the Phœnix and a tender; the latter was burnt, and the former eſcaped by cutting down all that was faſt at the fire ſhips, then floated down. The men in the fire ſhips deſerve every commendation.

Extract of a letter from PHILADELPHIA, *dated Auguſt* 10.

"We have this day an account of a Jamaica Guinea ſhip, with 7 hogſheads of ſugar, 8 or 9 of rum, and 7000 dollars, being taken by a privateer from Maryland, and is ſafe arrived in port, alſo a New England brig from Martinico."

On Monday laſt, about 60 veſſels (ſome ſay upwards of 90) came in from ſea, and anchored at Staten Iſland. Some ſuppoſe them to be Lord Dunmore's fleet from Virginia, but it is moſt probable they are the fleet expected from England.

A report was current yeſterday, that a French fleet had arrived at Quebec, and that ſeveral very important events had happened in Canada, but many improbabilities in the account, and later advices from the ſame place mentioning nothing of the matter, gives us reaſon to believe that the whole account is entirely without foundation.

An attack from the piratical fleet and murderous army of Great Britain, is hourly expected here.

PHILADELPHIA, *Auguſt* 20.

WE are informed, by a Captain of a veſſel belonging to this city, who eſcaped a few days ago from Staten Iſland, that the German troops lately arrived from Halifax are landed on the iſland, where it is ſaid they are to wait the arrival of another reinforcement (which is hourly expected) before the attack will be made on New York. He adds, that the Britiſh troops ſpeak with great contempt of General Waſhington's army, and are aſſured that they will have the pleaſure of ſoon meeting and ſpending the winter with General Burgoyne and his troops in New York.

Extract of a letter from ST. EUSTATIA, *dated July* 28.

"I have acquainted you, by my former from Martinique, of the good diſpoſition the French are in towards the continent of America, and

how willing they are to admit and welcome all veſſels from thence, for which purpoſe they have now by them and daily import all ſorts of goods in demand with you, particularly powder and other warlike ſtores, which they may purchaſe and ſhip without any difficulty, and it is more than probable that if the Congreſs declares its independency to the European ſtates, and offers to open their ports to foreigners, your ports will be crowded with them from all parts. And it ſeems that France waits only for that event to aſſiſt you in your defence.

"We have at preſent no other news than what is brought by a Dutch ſhip arrived within two days here from Amſterdam, viz. That the French, Spaniſh, and Portugueſe, are making great preparations for war by land and by ſea, as well as the States General; that the Spaniards had marched an army to the frontiers of Portugal, and had ſent to ſea a fleet of ſixteen ſail of the line, the deſtination of which was not known, and that they ſend conſiderable numbers of troops to their colonies; that the States of Holland had abſolutely refuſed to renew the prohibition for the exportation of powder, &c. to the colonies, or to cede to the Engliſh the four Scotch regiments the States have in their ſervice, nor furniſh them with a number of men of war which the Britiſh Court had required of them. The vexation occaſioned by this in the Britiſh Miniſtry induced them to take ſeveral Dutch ſhips, amongſt which are two that ſailed from this iſland, which were carried to London, and another to St. Chriſtopher's. In conſequence of which the Dutch have armed 40 ſhips of war, and ordered 60 more to be built, with the greateſt diligence, in their different ports, and to raiſe 20,000 men to augment their land forces, &c."

We hear that Lord Dunmore, with the remains of the Æthiopian regiment, joined his Britannic Majeſty's troops on Staten Iſland the 13th of this month.

A LIST of the officers that were made priſoners at the attack upon the city of Quebec, on the 31ſt of December, 1775, who were all well and in good ſpirits on the 18th of May laſt, and in anxious expectation of a cartel being ſettled for their releaſe.

Capt. Daniel Morgan, Lieutenant William Heath, Lieutenant Peter Bruin, ſlightly wounded; volunteers John M'Guin and Charles Potterfield of Frederick county, Virginia. Lieutenant Archibald Steel, of Lancaſter, wounded, loſt two fingers; volunteer John Henry, Lancaſter; Lieutenant Francis Nichols, Carliſle; volunteer Matthew Duncan, Philadelphia, Pennſylvania.—Major John Lamb, Lieut. Andrew Moody, New York —Capt. Oliver Hanchet, Suffield; Capt. Samuel Lockwood, Stamford; Lieutenant Abijah Savage, Middletown; quarter-maſter, Benjamin Catling, Weathersfield; volunteer Captain Eleaſer Oſwald, New Haven, Connecticut.—Col. Chriſtian Green, Greenwich; Captain John Toppam, ſlightly wounded, Newport; Captain Samuel Ward, Weſterly; Capt. Simon Thayer, Providence; Lieutenant James Webb, Newport; Lieutenant William Humphrys, Providence; Lieut. Edward Slocum, Tiverton; Silvanus Shaw, Newport; Rhode Iſland.—Major Timothy Bigelow, Worceſter; Capt. William Goodrich, Stockbridge; Lieutenant Samuel Brown, Acton; Lieutenant John Cumpſton, Sacho; Lieutenant John Clark, Hadley; Lieutenant James Tiſdale, wounded in the ſhoulder, recovered, Medfield.—Captain Henry Dearborn, Eaſt-Nottingham; Lieutenant Nathaniel Hutchings, Dunbarton; Lieutenant Ammi Andrews, Hillſborough; Lieutenant Joſeph Thomas, Eaſt-Nottingham.—Adjutant Chriſtian Fiberger, a Daniſh officer, and about 300 privates.

ANNAPOLIS, *Auguſt* 22.

Extract of a letter from TICONDEROGA, *dated Auguſt* 5, 1776.

I HAVE the pleaſure to inform you that the greateſt harmony ſubſiſts between the General Officers in this department, as well as the Field Officers in general.----We have 3500 effective men here, and the militia coming in faſt, all under pretty good diſcipline; the ſick (about 1500) are at Fort George, and recruiting faſt. Near two months ſalt proviſions, and freſh arrives in great plenty.

"Our naval force conſiſts of two veſſels carrying twelve carriage and as many ſwivel guns each---two ſchooners eight carriage and eight ſwivels each---a row-galley ſix carriage and ten ſwivels---five gondolas, carrying three nine and twelve pounders and eight ſwivels each--- five other gondolas will be completed in ten days and four row galleys in two or three weeks; each of the latter to carry four eighteen and twenty four pounders. The fleet, when completed, will be ſuperior to any thing the enemy can bring againſt us --- Two days ſince, two French Captains, of Col Livingſtone's regiment, arrived here by the way of Cohoos, in 26 days, from St John's, who ſay that a French fleet is arrived before Quebec, and that General Carleton with all the troops, except two hundred left at St. John's, are gone to Quebec: We expect ſoon to know the certainty of the matter by our reconnoitering parties, who are daily expected in."

Extract of a letter from NEW YORK, *Auguſt* 15, 1776.

"I have juſt time to inform you that, by a deſerter who came over to us laſt night, we have this intelligence;--- That the enemy's reinforcement of Heſſians has arrived; they are not ſuffered to land, but have taken three days freſh proviſions on board. The troops on the iſland began yeſterday morning to embark, the boats, &c. are all prepared to land them, with ſand-bags for their protection; that we may hourly expect an attack. There numbers, in the whole, amount to 25,000.

"There are various conjectures as to their intended deſcent: Some imagine it will be on Long Iſland, others about five miles above the city, and others up above General Mifflin's poſt. Our gallies went up yeſterday again to try the Phœnix and Roſe; we have not heard from them yet.

"If they wait a day or two longer we ſhall have near 2000 more of our Pennſylvania troops in."

WILLIAMSBURG, *Auguſt* 31.

Extract of a letter from PHILADELPHIA, *Auguſt* 20.

THE two ſhips came down on Sunday evening, and paſſed all our batteries again with impunity. Lord Dunmore is at Staten Iſland; his ſick he ſent to Halifax, his effective men he carried to Staten Iſland, and the blacks he ſhipped off to the Weſt Indies: Two Gentlemen, who had been taken priſoners by the enemy, have made their eſcape. They ſay they are now 20,000, and that another diviſion of 5000 foreigners is ſtill expected. They think Lord Howe will not attack theſe ten days, but that he does not wait for his laſt diviſion, being confident of victory without. The French Governor in chief of their Weſt India iſlands has not only refuſed to permit a Captain of a man of war to make prize of our veſſels in their ports, but forbidden them to come within gun-ſhot of the ports. The enemy's men of war being withdrawn from our whole coaſt to New York gives us now fine opportunities of getting in powder. We ſee the effect here already. Two Canadians, who had been Captains in our Canadian regiment, and who, General Gates writes us, are known in the army to be worthy of good credit, made their eſcape from St. John's, and came over to our army at Ticonderoga, and give the following intelligence: The enemy did not fortify any place we abandoned. They had 1000 men at Iſle aux Noix under General Fraſer, 2000 at St. John's under Carleton, and ſome at Montreal; 250 only had been left at Quebec. It was reported that 4000 Engliſh troops, which were to have been a part of that army, periſhed at ſea, which gives great uneaſineſs. Carleton has rendered himſelf very odious to the Canadians by levying contributions on them in general, and confiſcating the eſtates of all thoſe who followed our army, or who abſcond. Great numbers of the Germans deſert daily, and are anxiouſly concealed by the inhabitants. Seventy Brunſwickers diſappeared in one day. Their officers are ſo much afraid of buſh-fighting and ambuſhes, that they will not head any parties to purſue the runaways. The men have the ſame fears, which prevents them from deſerting in ſo great numbers as is ſuppoſed they will when once our fleet ſhall appear cruiſing on the lake to receive and protect them. Between the 22d and 24th of July Carleton and the other Generals abandoned all their poſts this ſide Sorel, except St. John's, with as great precipitation as our poor ſick army had done, carrying with them their artillery and proviſions. This was occaſioned by the arrival, and myſterious manœuvres, of a fleet at Quebec, ſuppoſed French, hoiſting different colours, and firing at tenders ſent from the town to inquire who they were. General Gates writes that he had accounts of the roads being crowded with militia coming to his aſſiſtance. Six hundred came in while he was writing his letter, being the firſt. A Captain Meſnard, of Canada, had come to General Gates after the two above-mentioned, and confirmed their account in almoſt every article.—Baron Woedike is dead."

DAVID JAMESON, Eſq; is elected Senator for the diſtrict of Elizabeth City, Warwick, and York.

Marriages.] WILLIAM FINNIE, Eſq; Deputy Quarter Maſter General, to Miſs CHAMBERLAINE, a very amiable young Lady.

EDMUND RANDOLPH, Eſq; Attorney General of Virginia, to Miſs NICHOLAS, a young Lady whoſe amiable ſweetneſs of diſpoſition, joined with the fineſt intellectual accompliſhments, cannot fail rendering the worthy man of her choice completely happy.

Fain would th' aſpiring muſe attempt to ſing
The virtues of this amiable pair;
But how ſhall I attune the trembling ſtring,
Or found a note which can ſuch worth declare?

Exalted theme! too high for common lays!
Could my weak verse with beauty me inspir'd,
In numbers smooth I'd chant my BETSEY's praise,
And tell how much her RANDOLPH is admir'd.
To light th' hymeneal torch, since they've resolv'd,
Kind Heaven, I trust, will make them truly blest,
And when the *Gordian Knot* shall be dissolv'd,
Translate them to eternal peace and rest.—

The following are copies of some MORNING RETURNS of Lord Dunmore's *black banditti*, distinguished by their owners surnames, and found by our troops when they took possession of Gwyn's island.

Women embarked at MILL POINT, *May* 21, 1776, *on board the* DUNLUCE. *Opened a cask of flour* (W K. 17)

Mary Williams	Sent to hospital brig same day	Philis Thorowgood, sen.
Patience Butt, a child		Phillis Thorowgood, jun.
Hannah Williams		Sarah Veal
Jenny Cook	Pleasant Robinson	Alice Everidge
Esther Willoughby	Penelope Hopkins	Susan Nimmo
Jenny Boush	Elizabeth Williams	Kate Thorowgood
Mary Bradley Brown	Dinah Morris	Elizabeth Willoughby
Hannah Griffin	Elizabeth K llick	Fanny Moseley
Abby Nimmo	Abby Robinson	Rachel Love
Abby Willoughby	Kate Willoughby	Belinda Edwards
Rose Moseley	Let. Willoughby	Esther Willoughby
Dinah Willoughby	Hannah Hester	Jenny B nth
Esther Herbert	Jenny Hurt	Nelly M'Clennan (Officers servants)
Lucy Robinson	Mary Willoughby	Phillis Hamilton (Officers servants)
Manda Willoughby	Judith Willoughby	China Ivy (Officers servants)
Hannah Parker	Mary Taylor	Dilly Love, alias Freeman
Susanna Savage	Grecian Hopkins	
Grace Thompson	Jenny Willoughby	Judith Boush

Major BYRD's *company on board the* DUNMORE, *May* 22, 1776.

Max. Villeroy	Jonas Ivy	James Savage
Francis Thorowgood	James Reed	Annaki Whitler
George Thorowgood	Bristol Mitchell	Robert Willoughby
Lawrence Ambler	Jasper Jones	Peter Godwin
Owen Woodhouse	Michael *****	Peter Willoughby
Philip Jones	Samuel Gordon	John Talbot
Arculis Willoughby	Owen Lovatt	Sepper Tinnible
Peter Thorowgood	Max. Boush	Argyle Sawyer
Glasgow Willoughby	Moses Holsture	James Daniel
William Anderson	Davie Nimmo	Scipio Thorowgood
Moody Nimmo	Charles Griffin	Thomas White
Sampson Ellegood	Samuel Gimer	John P. Royal, *Corp.*

Present at the camp on GWYN's ISLAND, *May* 29, 1776.
My LORD's *Company*.

Benj. Campbell	Robert Flemming	Norfolk Macki
Navin Parker	James Savage	Robert Wallace
Max. Woodhouse	John Everidge	Neal Robinson
Robert Ellegood	Gabriel Armstead	Daniel Hogwood
Jesse Damerom	Samuel Goodwin	Joseph Tucker
Abel Keeling	Lewis Wells	George Tucker
Mingo Pooding	Robert Tucker	Toby Lawrence
Jesse Keeling	Michael Wallace	Cæsar Stuart
Gabriel Minge	Benjamin Longwith	*Serjeants.*
Charles Fraser	Africa Corneck	Curry ------- on bord
William Byrd	Jacob Hawes	Crouch
Philip Harrison	John Stevens	Corpral *Brittain*
Roger Cornicks	Thomas Essex	30*th entered*,
Frank Newton	George Bivan	Lewis Paden
Benjamin King	Francis Jackson	Curry's Son——
Thomas Rand		

My LORD's *Company* 30*th of May entered at* GWYN's ISLAND.

Robert Scott	Joshua Lawson	Oliver Curl
Joseph Clayton	Sollomon Robinson	

May 31. *Returned from Hospital Brig* ADONIS

John Crocus	Sampson Portsmouth	*Major Byrd's*
Owen Jones	Samuel Fry	do.
Henry Drew		do.
Quash Ashley	George Woodhouse	*Capt. Mackay.*
Tony Parker and 4 more (from the fleet flour rum beef)		

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N. B. *June* 1. Capt. Mackay's company - - - 34 } names not
On board the hspital brig Adonis - - - 64 } mentioned

ANY Person who wants to buy either Waggon, Chair, or Riding HORSES, and a good WAGGON and GEAR, may be supplied by applying to my Managers at the Tavern near the College formerly kept by Mrs. *Camp*.

(tf) MATTHEW MARABLE.

SUSSEX, *August* 16, 1776.

WHEREAS I gave Mr. *John Cole* a Bond for nineteen Pounds, dated *August* 15th, 1776, payable upon certain Conditions, and have Reason to believe it is not in his Power to comply with them: This is to forewarn all Persons from taking an Assignment of the same, as I am determined not to pay it unless he fulfils the Engagement.

JOHN HARGROVE.

FIVE POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED, or STOLEN, from the Subscriber, two likely WAGGON HORSES, one a SORREL about 14½ Hands high, well spread, about 8 Years old, and has lost one of his fore Teeth. The other a BRIGHT BAY near the same Height of the other, about 10 Years old, a remarkably round bodied Horse, stands very straight on his hinder Legs, has a little White on the hind Part of one of his hinder Feet, paces, trots, and gallops, and has a short Dock. Whoever takes up the said Horses shall have 40s. Reward, or 20s. for either of them, if brought to *Culpeper* Courthouse or my House, and 3l. for the Thief, if taken, so that he may be brought to Justice.

MOUNT PONEY (*Culpeper*) *August* 5, 1776 } (2l) JAMES INSKEEP.

WILLIAMSBURG, *August* 24, 1776.

JOURNEYMEN GUNSMITHS and BLACKSMITHS will meet with good Encouragement from the Subscriber. Likewise are wanting 8 or 10 healthy BOYS as Apprentices. (tf) JAMES ANDERSON.

COMMITTED to the Gaol of *Chesterfield*, a middle sized Negro Man who says his Name is WILL, that he belongs to *Richard Winn* of *Mecklenburg* County, that he formerly belonged to *Lewis Burwell*, and lived at *Burwell's* Ferry, and went from there last Fall. The Owner is desired to prove his Property, pay Charges, and take him away.

JAMES BALL, Gaoler.

STOLEN from the Subscriber, in *Amelia*, in the Fork of *Great Nottoway*, the 9th of *April* last, a flim made BAY HORSE about 4 Feet 10 Inches high, paces naturally, has a hanging Mane and Switch Tail; his Mane hangs on the left Side, and I believe he is branded, but do not remember it. I am apprehensive the said Horse was stolen by a notorious Negro Man named JESSE, belonging to Mr. *Samuel Dameron* of *Brunswick*, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high; he is branded with the Initials of his Master's Name, who offers 10l. Reward to any Person that will deliver him the said Negro. Whoever brings me the Horse shall have 3l. Reward.

2l THOMAS BALL.

For SALE,

A YOUNG, healthy NEGRO WENCH, who is an excending fine Spinner, can wash and iron well, and do other Business in a Family; likewise her CHILD. For farther Particulars inquire of the Printers of this Gazette.

ALL Persons having Demands against the Estate of *Carter Burwell*, deceased, are desired to bring them in immediately to

NATHANIEL BURWELL, Sole Executor.

READY Money given for OLD BRASS, at 18d. *per* lb. and COPPER at 15d. and the highest Prices for OLD STILLS and KETTLES capable of Repair, at Mess. *Dixon & Hunter's* Printing-Office.

For SALE, by JOHN THOMSON, *in* PETERSBURG,

RHUBARB and Jalap
Glauber and Epſom Salts
Jeſuits Bark and Sago
Salop and Antimony
Shavings of Hartſhorn
Tartar Emetic and Cantharides
Spirits of Turpentine
Oil of Peppermint and ſweet Oil
Oil of Cinnamon and Caſtor Oil
Balſam Capivi and Peru
Salt of Wormwood and Tartar
Ounce Meaſures
Fine Searches
Pewter Clyſter Syringes
Gallipots and *Penis* Syringes
Screws and Turniquettes
A few Groſs of Pint & ½ Ticklers
Mercury and Volatile Salts
Spirits of Hartſhorn
Spirits of Lavender
Roſin and Ethiop's Mineral
Red Præcipitate and Myrrh
Senna and Manna
China and Sarſaparella
Gum Arabic and Camphor
Liquid Laudanum and Magneſia
Orange Peel and Gentian Root
Camomile Flowers
Caſtile Soap and Tamarinds
Aniſeed, Pimenta, and Sponge
Neat Flint Bottles with ground Stoppers
Marble and Glaſs Mortars
Fine Tow and Glaſs Funnels
Logwood, Redwood, and Madder
Vermilion and Pruſſian Blue
Lamblack and Painters Bruſhes
(11)

THE MANUFACTURING SOCIETY in *Williamſburg* are in Want of a Perſon to ſuperintend the Works, purchaſe Materials, &c. and to keep the neceſſary Accounts. Any who are qualified to undertake that Buſineſs, and come well recommended, will be treated with by the Managers, and good Wages will be given. As the making of Sail-Cloth is one of their Objects, the Society will give good Encouragement to Spinners and Weavers acquainted with that Branch.——Ready Money will be given for Hemp and Flax, either fully prepared for ſpinning, or from the Break or Swingle.

As ſoon as the Works are erected, the Society propoſe to take a Number of Boys and Girls, as Apprentices to ſpinning, weaving, &c.

WANTED immediately, two Journeymen Cabinet-Makers; likewiſe three or four Journeymen who are acquainted with making Flax Wheels. Such Perſons will meet with good Encouragement by applying to the Subſcribers, in *Williamſburg*.
1 JAMES HONEY & RICHARD HARROCKS.

FOR SALE,

THE Houſes and Lots in *Peterſburg*, formerly advertiſed by Mr. *Richard Hanſon*. For Terms apply to
ROGER ATKINSON.
RICHARD TAYLOR.

For SALE,

OSNABRUGS, Ticklingburgs, Checks, Sheeting, Muſlin, Calimanco, Crowningburg, Women's Worſted Hoſe, do. black furred Mitts, Velvet Hoods, Buckram, Silk and Worſted Ferreting, Binding, Buttons, colowred Thread, Silk Twiſt, Jacket Patterns, Worſted Caps, common Necklaces and Bugles, black Gimp, Fans, Hair Sieves, men's coarſe and fine Hats, *Scotch* Snuff, beſt ſcented Rappee do. ſhewing Tobacco, Mantelets, Silk Capuchines, Knee Garters, Buckrams, Razor Straps, Bruſhes and Wires for Muſkets, Thread Laces, Shoe Thread, Obſervations on Civil Liberty, *Britiſh* Tyranny, or *American* Liberty triumphant, *Watts's* Hymns and Pſalms, Pſalters, Hiſtories, Pocket-Books, Cutteaus, Rifles, common Sleeve Buttons, Shoe Buckles, Braſs Chair Nails, Tobacco and Snuff Boxes, Desk and Cupboard Locks, Croſs-Garnet and Dove-Tail Hinges, Bridle Bits, Stirrup Irons, Center and Wimble Bits, Cork Screws, Snuffers, Awl Blades, Shoe Nippers, Steel Pencil Caſes, Spectacles, Fiſhing Tackle, Jews Harps, Slate Pencils, Tailors and Women's Thimbles, *Whitechapel* Needles, Tenon Saws, Hand Saws, Saw Rafts, Tongs and Shovels, Augers and Gouges, Bricklayers Trowels, Tea Kettles, Pewter Dishes, Tin Dripping-Pans, Cullenders, Egg Slices, Stone Ware, Water Pitchers, Queen's China Diſhes, Tea Pots and Sugar Dishes, Glaſs Bowls and Tumblers, Wine Glaſſes, Punch Ladles, Ring Waſters, Iron Spice Mortars, Narrow Hoes, Indigo, Pimento, Coffee, Sole Leather, Harneſs do. Calf Skins, Men's ſtrong Shoes, a few Medicines, and ſome other Trifles, too tedious to mention.

MATTHEW ANDERSON.
GLOUCESTER, *Auguſt* 15, 1776.

TAKEN up, by the Subſcriber, in *Mecklenburg* County, a BAY HORSE about 4 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, appears to be 7 Years old, and is branded on the near Shoulder I. Appraiſed to 13l.
(6) LABAN WRIGHT.

STRAYED from *Cabin Point*, the 20th of *March* 1775, a BAY MARE about 14 Hands high, 4 Years old, with a long Tail and hanging Mane, one hind Foot white, and a ſmall Blaze in her Face; has never been rode, though would lead very well. ---Likewiſe ſtrayed, or was ſtolen, from the Rev. *William Harriſon's*, near *Peterſburg*, the 29th of *June* laſt, a GRAY MARE about 4 Feet 9 Inches high, 5 Years old laſt Spring, with a long Tail and hanging Mane, trots and gallops only. She is fleabitten about the Head, and has a ſmall round white Spot upon one of her Shoulders. I will give 5l. to any Perſon who will bring me the ſaid Mares, or give ſuch Intelligence that I get them again. 2 JOHN HARTWELL COCKE.

To be ſold, at public Auction, purſuant to the laſt Will and Teſtament of Mr. John Todd Bickerton, *deceaſed, at* Bedford *Courthouſe, on* Monday *the* 23*d of* September *next, being Court Day,*

A TRACT of LAND on *Falling* River, in ſaid County, containing 1848 Acres, with a Plantation and Improvements thereon. Twelve Months Credit will be allowed, the Purchaſer giving Bond, with approved Security, to (8) THE EXECUTORS.
N. B. Mrs. *Martha Irwin* claims Dower in the above Land.

WILLIAMSBURG, *Auguſt* 15, 1776.

ALL Perſons who have bought Goods at the Sale of Lord *Dunmore's* Eſtate, and have not already given Bond, in thoſe Inſtances where Credit was allowed, or paid the Money, where prompt Payment was requirable, are deſired to comply with the Terms of the Sale, without farther Delay. The Commiſſioners will attend for that Purpoſe at the Houſe of the Attorney General, on *Saturday* the 24th of this Month. Such of the Purchaſers as live too remote to comply with this Requeſt, are earneſtly deſired to ſave the Commiſſioners all farther Trouble, by ſending their Bonds as ſoon as poſſible.

AMHERST, *June* 6, 1776.

RUN from the Subſcriber, the 15th of laſt Month, a remarkably ſtrong well made Negro Fellow named BEN, formerly the Property of *Mr. John Nicholas of Buckingham*, 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, 30 Years old, with thick Legs, a ſurly Countenance, hoarſe Voice, and works at the Carpenter's and Shoemaker's Trades. He paſſed laſt Fall, at *Fredericksburg*, for a free Man, by the Name of *John Savage*, and has an *Indian* Woman for his Wife who ſome Time ago lived in *Goochland*. It is probable they are together, as ſhe ſold off, and moved from her late Dwelling Place in *Albemarle*, a few Days before the Fellow ran away. Any Perſon that will deliver the above Slave to Mr. *John Nicholas* in *Buckingham*, or the Subſcriber in *Amherſt*, ſhall receive THREE POUNDS Reward, and what the Law allows.
(12) PATRICK ROSE.

NORTHAMPTON County, *July* 6, 1776.

THE Subſcriber is in Want of low Land Tobacco, fit for the *French* Market, Flour, Red and White Oak Hogſhead Staves, with a Proportion of Heading, ſuitable for the *Weſt India* Market, to be delivered at any good Landing in the *Accomack* Counties, not to the Northward of *Pungoteague*, for which ready Money will be paid on Delivery. If the Tobacco and Flour are packed in Water Proof Caſks, an additional Price of 6*d.* *per* Hundred will be given on the Commodities, and for the Caſks according to their Quality.
6 SAMUEL INGLIS.

WANTED, at *Hunter's* Iron Works, the Falls of *Rappahannock* River, in the Manufactory of ſmall Arms, a Number of Hands who underſtand the File, alſo Anchor Smiths, Blackſmiths, and Nailers, to whom ſuitable Encouragement will be given; where may be had, for ready Money only, Bar Iron, Pullers Shears, Files, and a Variety of Articles made in the Iron Branch, and where Tradeſmen of every Kind, who incline to ſettle, may have Half Acre Lots of Land at a ſmall Ground Rent for ever, and may be aſſiſted in building, Proviſions, and Materials, and the Produce of their Labour taken in Payment for the ſame. Apply to *John Strode*, Manager of ſaid Works. (10)